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ALL-COUNTY LETTER NO. 87-24

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: REFUGEE DEMONSTRATION PROJECT (RDP)/REFUGEE CASH ASSISTANCE (RCA)
REINSTATEMENT OF AID FOLLOWING SANCTION

The purpose of this letter is to clarify that in order to receive assistance after a sanction period, a refugee must request that aid be restored and submit a new application for assistance.

According to Manual of Policies and Procedures (MPP) 69-208.71, if a nonexempt RDP or RCA client refuses or fails without good cause to comply with registration, employment and/or employment-related education requirements, then benefits shall be discontinued for three payment months for the first occurrence and six payment months for the second and subsequent occurrences. If the noncomplying individual is the unemployed parent, aid shall be discontinued to the entire assistance unit. If the noncomplying individual is the caretaker relative, benefits for that individual shall be discontinued and aid shall be continued to the remainder of the assistance unit if otherwise eligible.

In order for aid to be restored to the individual (Family Group case) or to the entire assistance unit (Unemployed Parent case), the noncomplying refugee must request restoration of assistance and meet all eligibility requirements (MPP 69-208.724). There is no automatic reinstatement of aid after a sanction period.

If there are any questions regarding this clarification, please contact Mr. Don Horel, Chief, Policy Unit, Refugee Support Management Bureau, at (916) 445-6547.

Sincerely,

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